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A SCENE FROM A CERTAIN SUMMER—

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THINGS WILL NOT GO AS PLANNED ...
AS SOON AS... SOME-ONE GETS INVOLVED.
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I REALLY WANT TO AVOID STEP-PING INTO... ANOTHER PERSON'S HOUSE AS MUCH AS POSSIBLE
AHH, I WANT TO HURRY HOME ... AND READ A BOOK BY MYSELF IN PEACE.
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WHAT ON EARTH ARE YOU DOING ...?!
I SPACED OUT FOR A BIT BECAUSE TOO MUCH IS HAP-PENING...
H-
HEY ...!
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SHE'S SLIGHTLY OUT OF MY REACH...
SCISSORS
SCISSORS...!
I CAN'T JUST ENTER HER HOUSE WITHOUT PERMISSION...
BUT I ALSO CAN'T LET THIS GET OUT OF HAND...
GIVING AN INJURY TO THE OTHER CAT
FIGHT
SUBARU
W-W-WHAT ARE YOU DOING ...?!
HARU!
BLOOD
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SHE LET GO!
COME ON, COME OVER HERE!
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OK, I BETTER SPLIT THEM UP BEFORE IT'S TOO LATE...
THANK GOODNESS... IT SEEMS LIKE THAT CAT DIDN'T GET HURT.
HARU!
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WHAT'S WRONG WITH ME?
I CAN'T COMMUNICATE WITH EACH OTHER ...
AFTER ALL, ANIMALS AND HUMANS ...
I'M SO SORRY SUBARU-SAN,
I CAN'T SEEM TO FIND ANY SAFETY SCISSORS, PLEASE WAIT A LITTLE LONG-
HUH?
I THOUGHT I HEARD NOISES, TURNS OUT THAT THEY BECAME QUITE CLOSE.

PLEASE HURRY AND GET THAT CAT AWAY FROM HARU!
HARU WAS BITING THE CAT'S NECK EARLIER ...!
I'M SO SORRY!!
EH?
ALSO, WHY ARE YOU ON THE FLOOR...?
AHH... IT SEEMS LIKE IT'S ALRIGHT,
SINCE HACHI DOESN'T LOOK FRIGHTENED AT ALL.

I'M SURE THAT HARU-CHAN...
JUST WANTED TO GIVE A WARNING ...
TO THE OVER-JOYED HACHI.

IS... THAT SO?
I SUPPOSE IT'S BECAUSE HARU-CHAN LOOKS SIMILAR,
SO HE WANTS TO BEFRIEND HER.

HACHI,
HACCHAN~
WELL AREN'T YOU IN A GOOD MOOD~!!!!
WERE YOU TWO HAVING FUN?
THAT'S GOOD~
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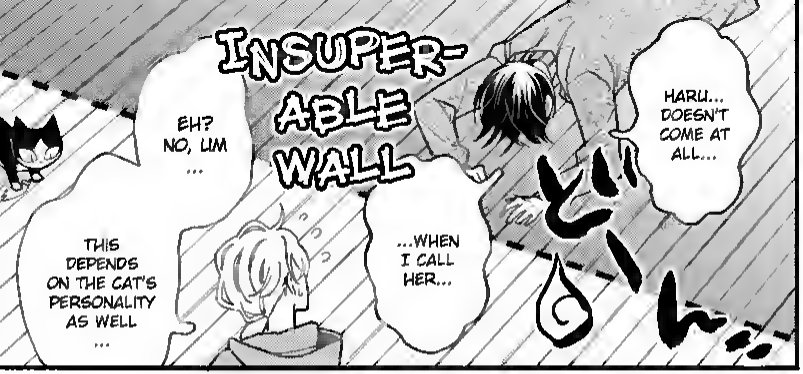
INSUPER-ABLE WALL
HARU... DOESN'T COME AT ALL...
...WHEN I CALL HER...
EH? NO, UM ...
THIS DEPENDS ON THE CAT'S PERSONALITY AS WELL ...

DO YOU OFTEN CALL HER NAME AT HOME?
HER... NAME?
NOW THAT I THINK ABOUT IT...
HARU PROBA-BLY... DIDN'T UNDER-STAND ME ANYWAY ...
HARU~
...WELL, WHEN IT'S MEAL TIME,
AND... WHEN IT'S MEAL TIME,
HARU ...
THAT'S ABOUT IT...

IT'S TRUE THAT ...
ANIMALS CANNOT UNDER-STAND WORDS,
SO IT'S DIFFICULT TO...
COMMUNI-CATE WITH THEM.
INSTEAD OF USING WORDS,
DO EVERY-THING YOU CAN...
TO TELL THEM...
YOUR FEELINGS.

SO THAT'S WHY,
THE METHOD YOU USE TO TELL THEM YOUR FEELINGS
SHOULDN'T BE WORDS ...?
SHE'S NOT "JUST" A CAT,
YOU CAN'T SAY THAT.
IN FRONT OF HER,
EVEN IF SHE CAN'T UNDER-STAND
WHAT WE'RE SAYING.

IT CAN STILL BE PASSED ON
THE MOST IMPORTANT THING IS
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EVEN IF YOU TELL ME THAT ...
INSTEAD OF WONDERING HOW TO TELL THEM,
SHOULDN'T YOU FIRST THINK OF WHAT YOU WANT TO TELL THEM?
I'VE BEEN TRYING EVER SINCE A LITTLE WHILE AGO..
MIKAZUKI-KUN!
HARU!
COME OVER HERE!

COME ON!
SO LET'S PLAY WITH EVERYONE ELSE, OK?
I, YOUR TEACHER, WILL GO TOGETHER WITH YOU,
AS I THOUGHT, YOU'RE BY YOURSELF AGAIN!

I...
SHOULD'VE KNOWN THAT ALREADY.
BY DOING IT THAT WAY.
YOU CANNOT CHANGE SOMEONE'S MIND...

C...
HARU ...
COME HERE ...

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Meow

SHE DIDN'T COME AT ALL.
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EVEN THOUGH I CALLED HER OUT SO MANY TIMES BEFORE...
WHAT'S WITH HER ...?

ズルル…
THIS IS...
THE TRUTH.
NO, AS I THOUGHT ...
THERE MIGHT ACTUALLY BE SOMETHING WRONG WITH ME.
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AT ANY RATE, FOR NOW,
ABOUT ANYTHING ANYMORE.
AHH, I DON'T WANT TO THINK...

WHOA!
EH?
WITHOUT DELAY...

ドアーー!!
SUBARU-SAN!
A-ARE YOU ALL RIGHT?

WHY DID THE DOOR SUDDENLY ...?
... OWW ...
WHAT ARE YOU DOING ...
IN FRONT OF SOMEONE'S DOORWAY ...?
... JUST AS SOON AS I CAN...

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Out of the frying pan, and into the fire?